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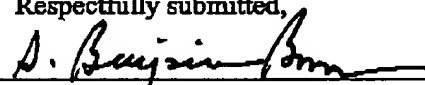
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| <u>X</u> | A Reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 to the Office Action dated <u>December 14, 2004</u> . |
| <u>X</u> | A Petition for an Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136. |
| <u>X</u> | Applicant(s) qualify for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27. |
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Respectfully submitted,

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